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OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER FOR MUNICIPAL DISTRICT of BATTLE RIVER, No. 423, and MUNICIPAL DISTRICT of KINSALLA No. 424, and VILLAGE of IRMA
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M.D. BATTLE RIVER Council Minutes

The Council of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 met in the Municipal Office at Irma, Alta., on Thursday, September 10, with full council present.

Moved by Mr. Merrick that the minutes of August 13th be approved as read. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that Mr. Chailles be appointed Deputy Reeve for the next six months. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the Reeve and Mr. Chailles be appointed as a committee to investigate the account of Dr. Maynes and Figginshaw, and if Figginshaw is proven not an indigent, to take mortgage on chattels and report back at the next Council meeting. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that a copy of Motion No. 15 of August 13th, be sent to the Attorney General's Department also comments made by the Alberta Provincial police regarding this case, asking for a ruling on same, as the Council has received this complaint and want same cleared. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Vesey that the correspondence from Dept. of Public Works file 6696 re Bridge over Battle River be placed on file for future reference. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that the Secretary be instructed to correspond with the Canadian Pacific Railway Dept. of Natural Resources in regards to transferring the road through the W. half of 3-4-5-8-4 with "Pia" No. 3586 M.D. for the road allowances on the West side of this land if same is approved by the Dept. of Municipal Affairs. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that this Council offer the Canadian Pacific Railway \$5.00 per acre for area taken for roadway through N.E. 9-4-5-8-4. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Vesey that this Council accept the order from J. Walker for 1-3 of the grain grown on the S.W. 11-4-6-7 to be applied on taxes to the above land. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the Secretary be instructed to garnish wages of J. Banelis amounting to \$31.15 in favor of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 and amount be applied to the credit of arrears of taxes on the N.E. 11-4-6-7-7-4. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that the Secretary be empowered to notify all lessors where we have received orders from the owners of lands to deliver share of crop in the name of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the Secretary write H. Reeve of Wainwright asking him to pay the Taxes on the N.E. 11-4-6-7-4 with during the time of occupation by September 24th or proceedings will be taken by this Municipality. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the matter of Taxes on the N. half of the N.W. 28-4-5-8-4 with be placed in the hands of Mr. Purvis for collection. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the Secretary be instructed to seize crops grown on the S. E. and N.W. 25 and E half of 26-4-6-7-4 with for the amount of \$126.55 and costs and apply proceeds to the taxes on N.E. 26-4-6-7-4 with. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Merrick that this Council offer for sale by Public Auction all lands in this Municipality having a 1928 Caveat registered against same, that date of the sale shall be Thursday, Dec. 10th, 1931 at 2 p.m. in the Municipal Office at Irma, Alta. Terms of the sale shall be cash unless otherwise arranged and that the Reeve be the auctioneer. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that Chas. Wilbusham be employed to value lands on the 1928 Tax Sale List and be paid at the rate of 10c per mile for miles travelled. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Chailles that Mr. Burrell's report on damage done to crop on the W. half 19-4-5-8-4 with by W. A. Burton's horses as \$5.00 damage done, be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that J. Darling be appointed pound keeper for Div. 5 and the pound shall be situated on the S. E. 9-4-6-8-4 with. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Merrick that Mr. Elliott's report on Weeds be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the Secretary notify Mr. Purvis that this Municipality hold a receipt from the Royal Alexandra Hospital for account of D. Peterson in full for \$119.50, dated June 27th, 1931. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the Secretary be instructed to place a caveat against the S. E. 17-4-5-8-4 with for the amount of \$119.50 amount incurred for Hospitalization of D. Peterson. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Chailles that the Secretary be instructed to offer S. Bugarsky the sum of \$50.00 for the 236 acres taken for road through the S. E. 27-4-6-8-4 with, this amount to include all compensation in connection with same. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the correspondence from the Old Age Pension Dept. re Amy E. Porter be received and placed in the hands of the Inspector for Old Age Pensions. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the Secretary be instructed to insert in the Irma Times that this Council intend to set a date at the next Council meeting for the sale of all lands having a Tax Notification for 1930 registered against them. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that Wm. Barber be appointed Bailiff for this Municipal District and be paid at the same rate as previous years. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the report of Mr. Burton re West case and Dr. McBride of Hardisty, that this Municipality guarantee this account to the extent of \$100.00 be accepted and when this account is presented for payment be authorized to be paid and that the Secretary place a caveat against Mr. West's land protecting this Municipality for the expenditure. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Chailles that the Statement for August 1931 be received as presented. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that the following bills be passed and paid:

J. H. Elliott—Weeds	\$19.85
R. Bronson—Pounds	9.60
West. Mun. News—Stat'y	17.68
Alta. Gov. Tel.	3.30
R. J. Tate—Salary Sec. Treas.	400.00
June, July and August	400.00
Dep. Neg. Children—Mothers Allowance (July)	15.00
W. R. Askin—Labor Div. 5	3.00
J. Rae—Labor Div. 3	6.30
L. Pongo—Blacksmith, Div. 4	1.55
Div. 5	3.20
Imperial Lbr.—Matrl, Div. 5	1.80
V. Hutchinson—Blacksmith, Div. 3	14.80
Div. 2	9.50
Div. 4	8.00
Div. 5	31.35

Motion Carried.
Moved by Mr. Merrick that the following time sheets be passed:

P. J. Harvey—Div. 3	\$88.65
C. M. Steele—Div. 5	\$74.30; \$135.25; and \$250.00.

Motion Carried.
Moved by Mr. Chailles that a list of all crown lands in arrears of taxes whose holders have not made arrangements for payment with the council be made up and placed in the hands of Mr. Purvis for collection. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that Council adjourn. Cd.

NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS

Please note that the Council of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 at their next regular meeting being October 8th intend to set a date for the sale of all lands in this Municipality having a 1930 Caveat registered against them. Redemption may be effected by payment of arrears of taxes and costs.

R. J. TATE, Sec.-Treas.

TO RATEPAYERS.

The Council of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423, respectfully request that you will make an effort to pay your taxes. The Bank has been generous in loaning us money to finance the Schools and Hospital but there is a limit and we are at that limit now and unless we can collect the taxes the schools and hospital will be the ones to suffer. Under these conditions we again request your help to keep the schools and hospital in operation and also the Credit of the Municipality.

R. J. TATE,
Sec. 30
Secretary-Treasurer.

If you have something valuable that you don't want and somebody else can use it, an ad in this paper will sell it for you. Try it.

J. Wilfred Boulter

BROUGHT up on a farm in Prince Edward Island and for many years closely associated with educational work, J. Wilfred Boulter, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for P.E.I., has a long record of association with agricultural activities. He is secretary of the Prince Edward Island committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference.

Tryon is Mr. Boulter's birth place. He was reared on a farm and received his early education in that district. For about eight years he taught school, a part of which time as principal of the first consolidated school in Prince Edward Island. In 1907 he was a public school inspector and in 1918 was appointed Deputy Minister of Agriculture, organized in 1920.

Mr. Boulter's other public activities include a directorship of the Standard Wholesale Phosphate and Acid Works, of Baltimore, Maryland; secretary of the Charlottetown Driving Park and Provincial Exhibition Association; secretary of the Provincial Dairyman's Association, and secretary of two black fox farm companies.

(By Gee)



SCHOOL FAIR A SUCCESS

The Irma School Fair Association has had the try out and it was a success in every way.

There were 1234 entries and many more that did not get in. The Judges reported the largest and best entries in vegetables they had the pleasure of going over.

80 entries of Potatoes,
84 entries of Carrots,
58 entries of Turnips,
41 entries of Stocks,
46 entries of Sweet Peas,
56 entries of Corn on Cobb,
52 entries of Cabbage.

These give you some idea of what the judges were up against.

All classes were taken up and the

The school classes were all represented.

The calf class was keenly contested. Taken all in all the many young exhibitors learned a good many lessons that will help them another time. We will get the full Government Grant on Stock and Penmanship.

There are so many prizes given, from 1st to 9th in all classes and so many entries, the cash value of points will not be large. We hoped to announce the Scholarship winners in this issue, but have not the correct figures at this date. The cheques will be issued to the School when the grants come in. We wish to thank the W. I. ladies for their help in supplying hot drinks and refreshments, also Mr. Hardy for the use of lumber for displaying the exhibits. The judges and clerks who worked so hard looking things over.

—Irma School Fair Association.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF KINSALLA No. 424.

Notice is hereby given that under the Provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the Municipal District of Kinsalla No. 424 will offer for sale by public auction, in Lees Hall, Kinsalla, Alberta, on Thursday, October 1st, 1931, at 2:30 p.m. the following land and lot:

S. E. 16-46-11-4 with
N. W. 36-46-11-4 with
S. E. 36-46-10-4 with

Lot 38, Block 8, in the Hamlet of Jarrold, map 5621 A.L.

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid and subject to the reservations contained in the existing certificate of title.

Terms cash, unless otherwise arranged with the Council.

BLAKE H. GREEN, Sec.-Treas.
Municipal District of Kinsalla, No. 424.

U.F.A. ASKS ONE DOLLAR PER ACRE FARM RELIEF

Payment by the federal government of \$1 an acre to farmers in districts of the west where misfortunes have occurred this year is recommended by the United Farmers of Alberta.

Directors of the U. F. A. declared aid offered by the federal government to poverty-stricken farmers was inadequate, and believed the dollar an acre payment would aid greatly farmers in dried out sections.

Payment by the federal government of two and a half cents a bushel on freight rates on oats is also suggested.

NEWS ITEMS FROM KINSALLA DISTRICT

Mr. Charles Arkinstall who has been working in Edmonton has returned home for the threshing season.

The North Western Utilities have erected an oil derrick on Section 14, and there is to be another one erected on Mr. Carl Smogard's.

Mr. Wadden, station agent here, returned home on Saturday from his holidays spent at Lethbridge and the Coast.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Holmes at the Viking hospital on Friday, September 11th, a son.

Mr. John Neale entertained her people from Vermilion on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland and family from Irma spent Sunday at Kinsalla.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dalton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Whitely on Sunday.

Mr. Claude Wachter is back to work again on the B & B gang for the C. N. R.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jones and family of Irma, called on friends here on Sunday.

Mr. V. Justik of Killam was calling on some of his old neighbors here on Sunday.

Avondale.

Fred Younker of Roseberry district is studying grade IX at Avondale school.

Emma Cooper who was staying with Mrs. Figginshaw and attending school at Alma Mater came home and is attending school at Avondale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dalton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Whitely on Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley Babcock spent Sunday afternoon at the Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. McCreedy served a goose dinner and had for their guests the Muirs, and Mr. and Mrs. Prior and little daughter on Sunday last.

Little Audrey Clelland who was operated on for appendicitis at Mannville hospital is doing nicely and expects to come home in a few days.

Some of the kiddies were quite disappointed in the school fair. After a busy week getting exhibits ready and placing them on exhibition they went to gather up their belongings and found some person had lifted some of their exhibits. This has been done oftentimes at Agricultural fairs and little thought of it, but the person who will indulge in this sort of theft from school children can hardly find a lower thing they might stoop to.

Disgusting in any case, but doubly so when a school who has charge of the work on the Government highway has moved his gang to Jarrold.

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"The days seem to have passed means an old timer, "when the girls used to jump out because the horses acted wild."

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The services next Sunday will be at Albert at 11 a.m. Alma Mater at 3 p.m. and Irma at 7:30 p.m.

In the report of the Board of Evangelism and Social Service of the United Church of Canada the following facts were set forth:

"In the heavy cloud of financial depression which rested over Canada during the past year, the amount spent in liquor in Canada is, to say the least, astonishing; e.g. Nova Scotia (43 days only) \$621,587 New Brunswick 84,809,734 Quebec 75,700,550 Ontario 54,945,532 Manitoba 10,632,292 Saskatchewan 12,380,762 Alberta 14,997,225 British Columbia 19,532,882

Total. \$193,620,574 The figures quoted are for the calendar year. In some provinces the liquor year ends in April; others in October. Hence the effects of the financial depression are present in some of the records for six months, and others for the full year. The point is, however, that in the year of unparalleled depression the legal sales of liquor were less than half a million dollars (\$420,474) below the previous year—the history of the Dominion.

The February letter of the Bank of Commerce shows that for the year 1930 as compared with 1929, Merchandise fell off by \$172,000,000 Railway earnings dropped 80,000,000 Value of contracts reduced by 109,000,000 Output of shoes reduced 1,915,121

Yet liquor sales fell by less than \$500,000! Here is food for thought!

ANGELICAN CHURCH

The service will be held at the United Church of Canada on Sunday, September 20th, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The next W. A. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Higginson, September 23rd at 2:30 p.m.

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WEEKLY REVIEW PROV. MARKETS

BEEF—Choice heavy steers brought \$4.50@4.75; choice light \$4.75@5.25 good kinds \$4.50@4.75; medium \$3.75@4.25; and common offerings \$2.50@3.50. Choice heifers sold at \$4.50@4.75; good \$4.25@4.50.

FEEDERS, STOCKERS—All offerings in this market are receiving good attention, particularly the better grades of cows and heifers. Feeder steers making \$2.75@3.75; stock steers \$2.50@3.50; stock heifers \$2.50@3.50; stock cows \$1.50@2.50.

HOGS—Edmonton market slightly firmer this week, with hogs \$5.15@ \$5.35; select \$5.00@5.85, butchers at \$4.00@4.85, fed and butchered basis.

SHEEP—At Edmonton lambs were firmer; other prices unchanged. Yearlings \$3@4; ewes \$1.50@2.50, and lambs \$4.50@5.50.

POULTRY—Demand not active. Prices unchanged; Broilers, No. 1, 12 @13c; No. 2, 10@11c; Leghorns, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 9c. Fowl, No. 1 over 4 lbs., 10c; No. 1 under 4 lbs., 8c; No. 2, 6c; roosters 5c.

EGGS—Although supplies are not heavy, trade expecting an increase shortly for pullets should soon be laying in commercial quantities. Demand fair. Extras 17@18c; firsts, 13@14c; seconds, 10c.

HAY—Prices seem to have become at least temporarily established, for timothy is quoted this week at \$12@ \$13, and upland at \$9@9.50 per ton, which prices are unchanged from last week. Movement from country points not very large, while demand has not yet developed.

FEED OATS—Fairly large supplies believed available in country, but movement is slow. Price steady at 23@25c per bushel, delivered.

HIDES—Kip and calf skins very hard to move, while horse hides have to be in excellent condition, free of meat and wall and neck down to the nose, or else they will not sell. Prices show very little change, but market slow.

WOOL—Practically impossible to move western range wools. Quotation unchanged at 3@4c per pound, delivered.

UNITED GRAIN GROWERS LTD.

A dividend at the rate of five per cent has been declared on the paid-up capital stock of United Grain Growers Limited, for the financial year ending July 31st, 1931.

Cheques will be mailed on September 15th, 1931, to shareholders of record at the close of business July 31st.

By order of the Board of Directors.

R. S. LAW,
President.
Winnipeg, Manitoba,
September 10th, 1931.

.22 Shells



Have you tried out the New Western Super-X .22 Shell. 50 per cent. greater smashing power and 26 per cent. increase in velocity. A sharper and louder bark responds to your trigger and the bullet travels with a Z-I-N-G you've never heard before with any .22.

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Courtesy and Safety

"Why is it," remarked the Observant Man, "that a man, who may accidentally jostle you in a crowd, turns and says 'I'm sorry,' or 'I beg your pardon,' but who, when he gets behind the steering wheel of a motor car, throws all ideas of courtesy to the winds and acts as if you had no rights whatever, even the right to live?"

It is the unsolved puzzle of this present age. A man ordinarily polite and courteous, who, if he bumped into another couple when dancing, or stepped on his partner's toes, would express his regrets, when engaged in motoring act, all too frequently, like an ignorant, uncouth boor. He who would hesitate to steal so much as a lead pencil from another, thinks nothing at all of stealing the right-of-way at a road intersection, even from a lady, considers he has done something smart, and even derides or jokes those whom he has made his victims. Yet he is guilty of theft, not only in a moral sense but actually in a legal sense, because the law declares it an offence to take the right-of-way from another to whom it belongs.

Many a motorist, who, if standing on his own two legs on the shore of a lake would never even entertain the thought of pushing a non-swimmer into deep water at the peril of his life, nevertheless does not hesitate to crowd a fellow motorist, possibly a beginner in the art of driving,—off the road at the risk of smashing the other's car and possibly seriously injuring or killing him.

And why is it that so many men, ordinarily polite and courteous, refined in language and manners, become abusive, profane and quarrelsome over some slight mishap on the road? What is it about a motor car, or the pleasure or business of motoring, that so completely changes many men, and women, too, from their usual tenets of conduct into the most disagreeable creatures, reckless and regardless of the rights, comfort and safety of others?

Is it merely because the modern motor engenders such speed that the cars become reckless, heedless, and for the time being at least are no longer normal human beings? Or is it that peculiar quirk in our human makeup that seems to impel us to do what both commonsense and the law says we are not to do?

The conduct of not a few, but countless thousands of motorists is an unsolved mystery. No man, except he be a madman, would think of throwing vitriol into another's face and thereby blinding him, but to anyone used to travelling on highways at night it would seem that the vast majority of motor car drivers think nothing at all of driving past approaching cars with powerful, glaring headlights completely blinding for the time being the drivers of those other cars, and inviting terrible disaster. Is it that they are just too lazy to be even bothered to dim their own lights for a few seconds? Or is it something else, some petty meanness of disposition, some understandable twist in their character which does not at other times display itself?

And yet courtesy is such a fine trait, a simple thing, something that costs nothing, but which is the hallmark of the true gentleman.

And how much pleasure it would add to motoring if courtesy, instead of a rude boorishness, became the universal habit of the road! And, oh, how much it would add to the safety of the road!

Governments provide rules and regulations governing the conduct of cars; Automobile clubs and associations conduct campaigns of education; tests are provided for brakes, lamps, tires, steering gear, etc., and all serve very useful purposes. But a uniform, universal recognition and acceptance of the ordinary rules of courtesy by one toward another, and by each toward all, would do more than any one thing to obviate accidents with their present appalling bills for damages and irreparable loss of life.

As a nation we are striving with might and main and the expenditure of fabulous sums of money to combat tuberculosis, cancer, and dread diseases of one kind and another; we are engaged in conservation of our forests, our streams and water-powers, our fisheries, our minerals; we spend millions on research work to combat rust in wheat, grasshoppers, and other pests which destroy the proceeds of our agricultural labours,—yet we go blithely on taking human life recklessly, needlessly, maiming many more, and destroying millions of dollars worth of property annually through the agency of the automobile, which to many has become a dread and a menace when it ought to be a joy and a blessing.

And such a little thing, such a simple thing, as the practice of a uniform courtesy would serve to revolutionize the situation for the better. Why not try it for a change! Let a little courtesy do its good work.

Alberta Oil Wells

Fifty-Seven Million Dollars Expended In Drilling Operations

More than \$57,000,000 have been expended more than a million feet of borings done in Alberta in the search for oil during the last thirty years, according to a recapitulation made by J. I. Carmichael, Lethbridge engineer. In all, some 407 wells have been drilled, not including the Ribstone field for which no details are available. Of the drilling done, 160 wells in Turner Valley have drilled 650,000 cubic feet—more than half of the province's total of 1,167,787 feet.

Hiking the Soft Way

We endorse enthusiastically the idea of the man who is crossing the continent in a wheel chair. We, too, have always felt that we should like to take a good, long hike, if we could do it sitting down.

White was the colour of royalty during some stages of Egypt's ancient history.

Alberta Creameries

Quality Of Cream Is Higher and Output Larger This Year

Alberta creameries received during the five-week period ended August 1st an increase of 13.6 per cent. over receipts of the similar period of 1930. For the year to date, from January to July, inclusive, the increase was 48.7 per cent. for central Alberta and 37 per cent. for the province. The quality is higher this year, the average test being 33.6 as against 33.1 last year. Receipts, with 1930 figures in brackets, graded this year as follows: top grades, 7.5 per cent. (5.7); special, 47.7 per cent. (43.1); firsts, 38.1 per cent. (44.8).

A New Industry

Interest is being evinced in the question of making china table ware in Canada, which is at present being imported to the value of about \$4,500,000 annually. The raw materials which are essential for the making of this type of ware occur at various places in the Dominion.

Japan's Population

Is Increasing By Nearly a Million Every Year

One or two competent writers on Japan having announced lately, with some confidence, that the population question in the Japanese Empire would settle itself because the rate of increase was steadily slowing down, the figures of the 1931 census now emerge to shatter that comfortable doctrine. The birthrate in Japan is not going down, it is going up. And the population is increasing at present by nearly a million every year. That fact may not be as disturbing to the rest of the world as it sounds. The Japanese, for all their apparent need for emigration grounds, still show little desire to emigrate on any considerable scale. But the alternative is to convert Japan systematically from an agricultural into an industrial State.

DRAPERIES MADE NEW

"When we resumed housekeeping a month ago I found my draperies had become creased from packing. I hung them out on the line, hoping to remove the creases. Then I forgot them. The result was they became badly faded and sun-spotted. I was heart sick until the happy thought struck me to dye them. I just dyed them a deeper green, and as I used Diamond Dyes they look gorgeous and new. I have never seen easier dyes to use than Diamond Dyes. They give the most beautiful colours—when used either for tinting or dyeing—and never take the life out of cloth as other dyes do."

Mrs. J.F.T., Montreal.

Preparing Relief Camps

Ontario Government Getting Plans In Shape For Unemployed

Payment of 30 cents an hour for an eight-hour day, with a deduction of 80 cents a day for board and 50 cents a month for medical services will be made to men employed in the relief camps being established in northern Ontario by the provincial government for the construction of the Trans-Canada Highway.

Official details of the administration of the camps were issued by Hon. William Finlayson, Minister of Lands and Forests. Present plans are to get the camps into operation early in October.

There will be no military methods but provincial police will be available whenever required at the camps.

U.S. Increases Postal Rates

Rates To Canada and Great Britain Are Changed

New increased postage rates on United States letters and postcards mailed to foreign countries are now effective, the postoffice department announced. The rate on letters and postcards to Canada and Newfoundland was increased to three cents for letters and two cents for postcards. Rates to Great Britain, Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State were increased to five cents for letters and three cents for postcards. The new rate on airmail to Canada and Newfoundland is six cents for the first ounce and 10 cents for each additional ounce.

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is an excellent leg wash for stock. Also removes corns in horses and quickly relieves bruises, sprains, swellings and joint stiffness.

Has Tame Butter Files

A Philadelphia has developed what is said to be one of the finest collections of live butterflies in the United States. For many years Daniel G. V. Lanning has made a study of the beautifully coloured insects, raised them and tamed them. Now, he says, they will alight on his paper while he is reading and not move until he is ready to turn a page.

Persian Balm invests every woman with subtle charm. Delicately fragrant. Cooling and healing. Disperses all roughness or chafing. Makes skin delightfully soft-textured. Every woman should use this priceless toilet requisite. Daintiness—beauty—refinement—Persian Balm achieves these in every instance. Softens and whitens the face. Promotes clear, youthful loveliness. All women who care for additional charm unhesitatingly choose Persian Balm.

Bears Killing Alberta Cattle Right to shoot bears in Waterton Lakes National Park, in southwestern Alberta, was sought by ranchers of the district. Cattle on ranches in the territory have been killed and carried within the park confines before ranchers were able to defend their cattle.

A newspaper man's son says that editors call themselves "we" so that the man who doesn't like the article will think there are too many people for him to tackle.

Workshops where blind men and women earn a living are being established in Italy.

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PUT HIM OFF HIS PIPE

Indigestion and Acidity

"A few months ago, I had an attack of indigestion, heartburn and acidity, and had no appetite for meals, especially breakfast. I am a pipe smoker, and for several days I felt so ill I could not even look at my pipe. I decided to try Kruschen's Salts. A few days afterwards I found that the heartburn and acidity had gone, and for the last five or six weeks I have been in my usual good health. I can now enjoy my pipe-smoking, and in fact feel about 10 years younger."—R. P.

When your digestive juices fail to flow freely your food lies in the system and ferments, thus causing the distress of indigestion. The "little daily dose" of Kruschen's first stimulates the flow of the gastric juices, and then ensures complete, regular and unailing elimination of all waste matter every day.

Woman Wins Air Derby

Aviatix From Memphis, Tenn., Carries Off All Honours

Mrs. Phoebe Omile, of Memphis, Tenn., was officially announced as the winner of the transcontinental handicapped derby from Santa Monica, Cal., after she had taken a large share of the honours at the national air races.

The contest was the most exciting of the season. Mrs. Omile had won the handicapped race, in which 50 or more women and men competed, with a rating of 109.19 points. She won the grand prize as well as the prize for the women's division. D. C. Warren, of Alameda, Cal., won the men's division of the race with 103.5 points.

Bronze Statue Honours Hardy

Unveiled By Sir James Barrie At Dorchester, England

Unveiling a life-size bronze statue of Thomas Hardy, the work of Eric Kennington, here in Hardy's native Dorchester, Sir James Barrie, creator of "Peter Pan," told how together the late novelist's services.

"When the child Hardy was born," said Sir James, "the doctor thought him dead and dropped him into a basket. But a woman stepped forward to make sure and found he was alive. A statue to this woman—Mr. Kennington could have done worse than give us that."

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and intestines, causing serious disorders of digestion, and preventing the infant from deriving sustenance from food. Miller's Worm powder, by destroying the worms, corrects these faults of the digestion and serve to restore the organs to healthy action.

Co-Operative Wool

Manitoba and Saskatchewan Shipments Reach High Figures

The Canadian Co-Operative Wool Growers, western branch, report the receipt during July of 552 lots of wool at Regina, and of 502 lots at Portage la Prairie; the total Manitoba receipts amount to 200,624 pounds. Saskatchewan receipts about 333,000 pounds. Up to the end of July eleven cars have been shipped from Regina, seven from Portage la Prairie and one from Marchand. During the month four contracts were received from Manitoba sheepman, covering 130 fleeces and thirteen contracts from Saskatchewan sheepman covering 984 fleeces.

Drives Asthma Before It. The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma no chance to linger. It eradicates the cause. Our experience with the relief-giving remedy shows how actual and positive is the success it gives. It is the result of long study and experiment and was not submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

High Quality Canadian Cattle

Shipments of Canadian cattle to Great Britain have proven at times of such a high quality that the livestock sold on a par with Scottish home-killed beef according to John Byers, secretary of the council of Western Beef Producers. The Canadian cattle be added, at some periods, had been sold in preference to the Irish importations.

"Pop, hey, Pop!" "Don't talk that way, Oswald. I'm in the grocery business, not a fountain clerk."

for STIFFNESS!
Plenty of Minard's well rubbed in twice a day. Right. Rub the sore part with warm water before you start.
5¢ You'll soon limber up!

MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"

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Market For Canadian Apples

Big Campaign In France To Exploit Canadian Fruit

A consignment of more than a million Canadian apples soon will be on sale in automatic vending machines on Paris boulevards, as the first step in a big campaign to make France eat Canadian fruit.

The final details of the campaign remain to be settled, but French importers already have made a cash offer for 7,500 boxes of Canadian apples, realizing their superiority over the French variety.

At the same time, negotiations are far advanced, whereby a Canadian company will install 2,000 vending machines along the boulevards. It is expected that each machine will sell 60 apples daily at one franc each, which is cheaper than the retail price of apples in Canada.

This enterprise is the result of the initiative of the Canadian trade commissioner's office, which also has just induced the French Ministry of Agriculture to grant a concession to Canadian apple exporters allowing them to store their apples at Le Havre without paying the customs duty until the apples are sold.

This concession on the part of the French authorities will permit the holding of fortnightly sales of Canadian apples at Le Havre. It is expected that such sales will be started shortly.

Previously, consignments on which the customs duty had been paid, remained unused at French ports, causing a heavy cash loss to Canadian apple growers.

Byng May Retire

Has Accomplished Task Of Police Reforms In London, England

According to the Daily Mail, Lord Byng, former governor-general of Canada, and now commissioner of the metropolitan police, intends to announce his retirement from the commissionership before the end of the year. The paper says Lord Byng feels he has accomplished the task of cleaning up the worst end of London and the institution of police reforms which he had set for himself when accepting the appointment in 1928. He is now anxious to retire to his Essex home, the newspaper continues.

Sir Trevor Bigham, deputy commissioner, who married Lord Byng's secretary, is expected to succeed to the commissionership, the Daily Mail declared.

Barred From U.S.

William Shier, 48, who was returning to his home in Gary, Ind., after being two weeks at the bedside of his mother in Newmarket, Ont., has been refused re-entry into United States by United States immigration authorities. It is alleged that he entered United States illegally seven years ago at Port of N.D.

"Matilda, won't you sing something for our guests?"

"Oh, but, dear, it is so late; and besides they are beginning to go."

"Yes, but not quickly enough."

A writer says that "one cat burglar will not betray another." A sort of fellow-feline, we suppose.



Children love it

THE delicious flavor of Borden's Chocolate Malted Milk makes an irresistible appeal to youngsters. Its wonderful good for you. It restores energy spent on work or play and builds strong sturdy little bodies. CM



Many Years a Sailor

Earl Jellicoe Held Position Of Junior Officer In 1893

It seems ages ago in this whirling world since the disastrous collision in the Mediterranean between the "Victoria" flagship of the fleet, and the "Camperdown," and it is almost startling to recall that Earl Jellicoe, Canada's distinguished visitor, was a junior officer on the ill-fated "Victoria." Though stricken at the time with fever, he plunged into the sea and was among those rescued—in his case to give further distinguished service on another flagship of the fleet. Earl Jellicoe took the sea when young, as the "Victoria" went down in June, 1893; and he is far from being an old man.

Want Child Marriage Back

Renewed attempts to abolish the Sarda Child Marriage Restraint Act forbidding marriage to children below the age of 14, have been made by Indian legislators. The authors contend that the Sarda Act constitutes an invasion of sacred religious customs of the Hindus, reaching back thousands of years and allowing children to be betrothed in marriage even in infancy.

The average farm in Belgium this year covers less than 15 acres. Much of the threshing in Belgium this season is being done by hand.

No Longer Bilious—Thanks Vegetable Pills

"I suffered with Biliousness for days at a time. Every medicine I tried failed to bring relief. . . the first dose of your wonderful Carter's Little Liver Pills gave me great relief."—Mrs. C. Leigh. Dr. Carter's Little Liver Pills are no ordinary laxative. They are ALL VEGEtable and have a very delicate, valuable tonic action upon the system. They cure Constipation, Indigestion, Acidity, Headaches, Poor Complexion. All druggists. 25c & 75c red pkg.

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The Mother of Seven Children Used It for Diarrhoea

Mrs. Ray Drinkwater, R.R. No. 2, Hagerstown, Ont., writes:—"I am the mother of seven children, and last summer one of them, 17 months old, was taken very sick with diarrhoea, and I thought she was going to die. My husband went 7 miles to see what my sister had given her baby, and he came home with a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I gave the child a few doses and she was soon well again. My other children also had diarrhoea at that time, and I gave them 'Dr. Fowler's' with the same results."



The Great Importance Of Experimental Farm Work In Fibre Crop Production In Canada

It would be very difficult to estimate in dollars and cents the value of the work done in Canada by the fibre crops division, which operates under the direction of the Dominion Experimental Farms System. The Division of Economic Fibre Production embraces work in a relatively large and varied field of endeavour and it is almost as directly connected with manufacturing activities as with cultural conditions.

There are some twenty projects under way at Ottawa in connection with problems that have confronted flax and hemp growers at various times. It is important to have accurate record of the varieties best suited to the cultural and climatic conditions of Canada, and these records become more valuable as additional information is revealed from year to year.

The application of fertilizers best suited to these fibre plants offers a great field for careful investigation. This work is being carried on systematically at Ottawa as well as at a number of the branch farms extending from British Columbia to Nova Scotia, so that results may be analyzed, compared and recorded for future reference.

The central experimental farm at Ottawa is equipped with a modern flax mill in which flax and hemp preparing machinery of all kinds are given rigid tests. The farmer benefits from such a service because he knows that if the machinery he is interested in is given an unbiased and thorough test under government supervision, he will receive reliable information concerning it.

Then too, the fibre division of the central experimental farms system renders an extremely important marketing service.

During the year 1930 flax growing in eastern Canada received \$5.50 a bushel c.f.f. Belfast, Ireland for a special variety of flax seed known as J.W.S. This variety was originated by an Irishman named John W. Stewart, and was sent to Canada in 1928-29 for a test propagation by the Ministry of Agriculture for northern Ireland. During the year 1930-31 the price received for this special pedigree flax seed was \$4.68 per bushel. The business end of these transactions was handled by the fibre division through the Ministry of Agriculture, northern Ireland and the seed was cleaned for the farmers and inspected free of charge by the Canadian Government.

W. J. Megaw of the Ministry of Agriculture for northern Ireland is cited in a letter received by the fibre division on the 20th of May, 1931, that "in counties Antrim and Derry the demand was largely for Canadian J.W.S."

This report is particularly gratifying in view of the fact that more than Canadian interests are bargaining for this market in Ireland.

During this past year farmers in the districts of Rhein, Saskatchewan, and Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, were given assistance in the handling of their respective hemp crops. This service was rendered in order to stimulate and encourage the establishment of a cordage industry in the west. Also, this past year, a specialist was sent from Ottawa to British Columbia to carry on extensive experiments in the growing and handling of flax for fibre purposes. The results showed that British Columbia can produce a quality of flax that compares very favourably with the best grades of Irish flax fibre.

Another service which has received favourable commendation is the installation of small demonstration flax mills in certain flax growing districts. These mills are equipped with a flax breaking machine and three or four scutening blades, as the case may be. The government supplies the machinery and the interested parties supply the accommodation and the power to run the machinery.

Hundreds of samples of the best



"Good morning, is your mistress at home?"
"No, I'm sorry, this is her day out."—Hummel, Hamburg.

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flax seed are mailed free of charge to farmers each year and applications for these samples is made to the fibre division from all parts of Canada.

When these facts have been duly considered one realizes the real value of experimental farms work in fibre crop production in Canada.

Ocean Travel De Luxe

All-Electric Kitchen Will Provide 12,000 Meals a Day On New Cunarder

A wonderful all-electric kitchen, which will provide 12,000 meals a day, is being planned by the catering experts of the Cunard Line for the new 73,000-ton liner now being built at Clydebank.

The liner will carry over 3,000 passengers and 500 crew, and for the big task of feeding them 100 highly-paid chefs will be employed in the all-electric kitchen. The kitchen has many novel devices, including machines for keeping the ovens and grills at certain temperatures and instruments which wash thousands of plates and dishes in a few minutes. It will also be possible to cook simple dishes without attention.

The wise experts of the company have evolved new methods to ensure that all wines will be kept in perfect condition even though the liner may be running through heavy weather. Wines are purchased five years before they are used in Atlantic liners, and for years now the wines for the new Cunarder's cellar have been waiting for the maiden voyage. The cellar will be one of the largest and best in the world.

Great progress is being made in the construction of the Cunarder, the castings for the gear wheels and turbines, and the stern bracket, one of the largest ever made, are nearing completion at Darlington and Sheffield. Half the boiler installation is complete, and 1,000 miles of electric cable are ready for installation.

Bonds Of Empire

Earl Jellicoe Refers To Important Part Played By Canada

Great Britain is looking to Canada to provide a lead in strengthening the British Empire, declared Earl Jellicoe, president of the British Empire Service League, addressing an Empire Club luncheon at Toronto, Coupled with this remark was his confident assurance that Britain would, surmount present difficulties and emerge successfully from the national crisis.

The Admiral of the Fleet recalled feeling which existed in the Dominion in the '90s that Canada should separate from the Empire and throw in her lot with the United States. The Canada of today was sufficient answer to the fear that such feeling might ever lead to action.

The observation of Empire Day in Canada had developed from that feeling, he said, "It is well that our children should realize the common loyalty which binds the Empire; the tie of blood and the tie of respect and honor which we give to our king."

"Canada has played an immense part in the empire's work; Canada has fought in the common cause, and I have no doubt she would do it again. We of the Mother Country will look to Canada to give us a lead in the strengthening of the ties of Empire."

Radium Not Cure-All

But Has Accomplished Much In Treatment Of Cancer

Cancer control was the greatest problem of health today, and radium had come to the fore as a potent agent. It was not a panacea, for even in skilled hands its results were often disappointing, but, on the whole, the world of medicine could look with satisfaction upon what it had already accomplished. Dr. Joseph Muir, famed New York cancer expert and physical therapist, stated in addressing the convention of the American Academy of Physical Therapy, held at Montreal.

Southern Alberta Wool

Shipments of wool from Southern Alberta to the Canadian Co-Operative Wool Growers' warehouse at Weston, Ont., have broken all records, according to a report issued by N. T. Macleod, secretary of the Southern Alberta Sheep Breeders' Association. Deliveries made to date aggregate 1,800,000 pounds, the wool clip being unusually heavy this year.

If a man listened to a continuous broadcast for a week the batteries would run down . . . thank goodness!

FASHION



No. 129—Sports Model.—This style is designed in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust measure. Size 16 requires 3 1/4 yards of 39-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

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No. 754—For School Days.—This style is designed in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 2 yards of 39-inch material with 1/2 yard of 27-inch contrasting and 6 1/4 yards of binding.

No. 505—Smart Day Model.—This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 3/4 yards of 39-inch material with 1/2 yard of 27-inch contrasting.

No. 505—For Wee Maids.—This style is designed in sizes 2, 4 and 6 years. Size 4 requires 2 1/2 yards of 39-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

All patterns 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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Growing Habit Of Buying Empire Goods Gains Impetus In The United Kingdom

Wilkins' Trip Important

Only Way Certain Scientific Phenomena Can Be Obtained

Star dust on the bottom of the sea, among other scientific things, has drawn Sir Hubert Wilkins, submarine polar explorer, into great danger, in the opinion of Vilhjalmar Stefansson, who once led Sir Hubert on another polar trip.

Infrequently heard from, Sir Hubert is now in the great Arctic ice pack about 350 miles from the north pole, Mr. Stefansson said, "Sir Hubert undoubtedly cannot much longer delay his return from the ice because the summer season virtually is finished."

Mr. Stefansson emphasized the importance of Sir Hubert's trip explaining that in no other way can certain important scientific phenomena be obtained. "Star dust is probably the most romantic of these phenomena. Scientists hold that dust from outer space is deposited in the polar regions in comparative purity, whereas in other parts of the world it is mixed with terrestrial dust. Obviously any samples that Sir Hubert can obtain from the bottom of the sea will be of use to science."

"Sir Hubert also seeks to weigh the earth from the north which is the shortest radius to the centre of the earth. The earth already has been weighed from the equator, where the radius is longest, and a comparison of the two weights will disclose important phenomena about, among other things, the mineral constitution of the earth."

"By use of the Sonic depth finder, Sir Hubert can make an almost unbroken contour map of the bottom of the Arctic sea. Sir Hubert also can observe water life in the Arctic sea as no other explorer could—by actually being under the surface where the life exists. He also can make important weather observations, investigate water temperatures and other wide fill in the innumerable gaps that exist in our Arctic information."

Probably three years will be needed for the completion of the work of

"The growing habit of buying from within the Empire has attained an impetus in the United Kingdom," states the report of the Empire Marketing Board just published, "which even the world-wide economic depression has been powerless to retard."

The report for 1929-1930 shows that twenty-five new records had been set up, in the year under review, by Empire foodstuffs, as regards volume of imports into the United Kingdom. Apples from Canada and from New Zealand reached record quantities in 1930, as did bananas from the British West Indies, butter and cheese from New Zealand, coffee from British East Africa, currants from Australia, eggs from Australia and South Africa, and grapefruit from South Africa and Palestine, lamb from New Zealand, oranges, peaches, plums, sugar and wine from South Africa, pears from four Dominions, and tobacco from India.

A number of other foodstuffs are mentioned which surpassed all previous years, except 1929. These include Australian raisins and sultanas, New Zealand frozen pork, Ceylon tea, Australian sugar, and British Malay canned pineapples.

The people of the United Kingdom are reported to be buying steadily more and more from within the Empire. Many factors have combined to bring about this result. First, more attention is being paid today by Empire producers to the need for grading and orderly marketing. Secondly, distributive traders have shown themselves resolved to further the progress of Empire buying on sound economic lines. Thirdly, the contact between producers overseas and wholesale and retail traders in the United Kingdom is growing closer. Fourthly, consumers in the United Kingdom are becoming more aware of the excellence and wide range of Empire products.

Since the report was issued the imports of Canadian cattle on the hoof, both for further feeding and for slaughter at port have been resumed on a considerable scale and it is possible, if the hog runs this fall justify it, that Canadian bacon imports into Great Britain will increase before the

How To Keep Milk

Keeping Milk In Proper Condition For Home Use

Four little words tell the whole story about how to keep milk in proper shape for use in the home. These are "Clean, Cool, and Covered." This is one of the fundamental rules of home economics to which the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch calls special attention. For best results milk should be served at the end of the meal, and it should always be sipped slowly. Milk is the ideal food for children of all ages because of its high quality and quantity of protein, its abundance of calcium, its readily assimilable phosphorus content, its iron and its easily digested fat and sugar.

Industrial Moose Jaw

Moose Jaw now has an industrial area of about 50 city blocks, the city council having set aside three subdivisions for the purpose—Prairie Heights, Westmore and Sunnyside. The area lies roughly between the main line of the Canadian Pacific and the Outlook line branch.

Time cannot remove kindly acts from a grateful heart.

Manitoba Wheat

Test Shows High Protein Content This Year

Dr. F. J. Birchard of the research laboratory of the Canadian Board of Grain Commissioners, in a test made for protein content in the wheat crop of Manitoba, shows that the wheat crop of the province has a maximum of 18.3 per cent. as against a maximum of 14.5 per cent. last year and a minimum of 10.2 per cent. this year as compared with 8.4 per cent. last; the average being 12.25 per cent. against 11.5 per cent. in 1930. The test grains were taken from the same districts as last year.

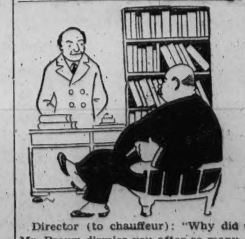
Grain Grades High

Exceptionally High Quality Of This Year's Crop Is Noted

"Grain which has passed through the inspection department at Winnipeg in the last few days is of exceptionally high quality," it was stated by J. D. Fraser, chief grain inspector at Winnipeg, in a recent address before the officials of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina. "A considerable amount has graded No. 1 hard; a great deal has gone No. 1 Northern, and some has graded No. 2 Northern on account of mixtures of durum and barley."

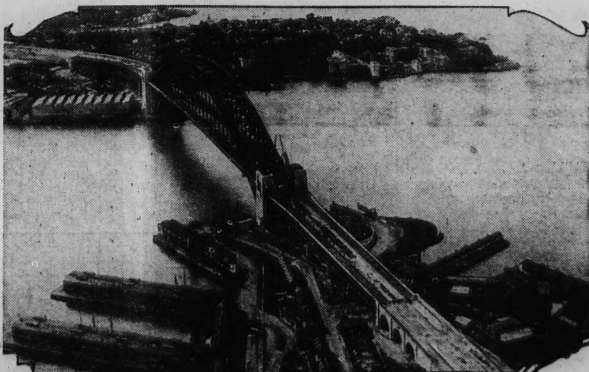
Records made by a "piano camera" show that a pianist does not strike all the notes of a chord at once, but uses from 61 to 37 seconds to complete the chord.

Education is first aid to finding out how little you really know.



Director (to chauffeur): "Why did Mr. Brown dial me after so many years' service?"
Chauffeur: "I had to drive his mother-in-law to the station and I arrived two minutes late."—En Rolig Half Timma, Goteborg.

LONGEST SINGLE SPAN BRIDGE IN THE WORLD



Here's a striking aerial view of the Sydney, Australia, harbour bridge, which has been seven years in construction, at a cost of nearly \$40,000,000. As the longest single span bridge in the world, it will carry four lines of vehicular traffic, two electric train tracks and two street car tracks, as well as two foot-bridges for pedestrians only. One million passengers will cross the bridge daily, it is estimated.

Alberta Pool Elevators Under Public License

Alberta Pool Elevators are now operating under public license.

This permits the Pool Elevators to buy or handle any grain. Pool Elevator facilities are not restricted to the handling of Pool members' grain only.

The reputation for fairness gained by Pool Elevators should be an inducement for all grain growers to patronize these elevators.

Any person delivering grain to Pool Elevators may sell his grain in any way he selects and at any time desired.

Thumb Sketches Nails By Cy

Slips

SOMEBODY said, "There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," and because there appears to be such a multiplicity of slips I was curious to see what the dictionary said about it. Webster's says that a slip means "to fall down," "to pass through neglect," etc., but there is no mention of the sense in which it is used in the departmental store advertising, nor to the sense in which it was used by an ultra-modern swain to describe the extreme modesty of his best girl. "She is so modest," he said, "that she wouldn't even think of picking Dutchman's Breeches, to say nothing of planting the slips."

Webster's for one, therefore, is struggling along a bit in the rear of the pell-mell progress of present day flapper and sheik English. Maybe Webster's soul is thus escaping a lot of real torment. Maybe. Who knows.

"If," says a farmer, "I had taken just a little more care in the preparation of my exhibit I should have been first on the list. I had the first prize right in my mit until the judges came to score my exhibit for uniformity. Then I fell down." He made a slip. If Canadian grain and seed do not win the number of prizes at the coming World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina in 1932 it will be because of too many slips—just a minute, you know the kind of slips I mean, the neglect to do something that ought to be done. Canadian competitors are required to go along cautiously or there'll be a modern version to read, "There's many a slip 'twixt the head and the hip." By a slip Canadian farmers may lose some "grain crowns" for their heads and incidentally some substantial cash that is always mighty convenient to have on the hip.

Modern English includes quite a family of slips. Probably the newspaper man is best acquainted with the "slips that pass in the night." Here is a sample of two of such—"passed through neglect," as Webster says. If you are diligent and alert you will find a plant or two of this species quite frequently in your favorite newspaper. They are like "hairlines" and "type line," however, not to be found so frequently as "in the days that was" when the compositor used to "stick" type "by hand" and drawn it before attempting to move it from place to place.

"The Ladies of the Guild enjoyed Mrs. Smith's foul summer very much," says one local paper. "Choice, large room with twin beds and running water, modern," says an advertisement in a Canadian daily. "Afternoon teas," says a cafe advertisement, and under this announcement one reads, "Have your tea cap examined by an expert."

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TAX COLLECTIONS TO BE REVIEWED DECLARES PREMIER

The provincial government will shortly consider the whole question of provincial tax collection, according to a statement made by Premier Brownlee Saturday.

A report that the Manitoba government intended to wipe out \$400,000 annually in land taxes was shown to the premier.

"Before any comparison can be made between the action of one province and another in respect to an individual item such as land taxes, it is necessary to examine the complete system of taxation," said Mr. Brownlee. "Manitoba has a provincial income tax which we have not. Besides that, Manitoba collects the full provincial share for old age pensions from the municipalities, whereas we collect only a portion."

"Our supplementary revenue tax in this province, following a resolution in the legislature last session, has been referred to the Alberta tax commission for study. They are examining into the whole incidence of this tax and I understand are ready to report in the near future when the government will decide what, if any, changes we will make in the complete system of tax collection."

BRITISH OPINION IS TURNING TOWARD TARIFF POLICIES

London, Sept. 14.—"Events have moved so fast in the political world," says the Times, Monday, "that it is almost out of date to suggest, as some prophets are still suggesting, that the issue at the next general election will be for or against a tariff. There is in fact already an enormous preponderance of opinion in the country behind such a proposal."

The Times goes on to explain that this change of view is due to the realization that Britain's export and import position is such that drastic steps to remedy it must be taken. Imports so greatly exceed exports that the favorable balance of trade, as it is called, has disappeared, and only by checking imports by a revenue tariff or by the restriction of foreign luxuries altogether can this be accomplished.

LITTLE SEAPLANE IS FLOWN AT RATE OF 389 MILES AN HOUR

Calshot, England, Sept. 14.—A world's speed record in the air was chalked up to the credit of Great Britain's Schneider cup team Monday and the trophy was on her shelves for good.

British aviators, however, were surprised and somewhat disappointed when it was announced that the figures to be submitted for official approval in connection with Lt. G. H. Stainforth's attack on the world's speed record Sunday will be 379.05 miles an hour instead of 386.1 as unofficially given out.

SAFE BLOWERS AND ROBBERS VISIT SMALL TOWNS

Several small towns in Alberta have been visited by robbers and safe blowers the past few days, the latest town to have them as unwelcome guests were Red Deer, Bow, Kinsella and Mannville, where they looted safes and stores for various amounts of money and goods. Local merchants and citizens are warned not to leave cash and valuables to any amount in their business premises or residences, and it would be well to keep a light of some kind burning during the night.

VERMILION POST OFFICE OPEN ON SUNDAYS

We note in the Vermilion Standard that the postmaster at the point has received permission to open the lobby of the post office on Sunday, to enable box holders to get their mail if they wish. Perhaps a similar concession might be obtained for Vegreville by applying to the acting post-office inspector for this district.

Providing the privilege is not abused, there can be no possible harm in leaving the lobby open on Sunday; not that it is so desirable or so desperately necessary for anyone to get his mail on Sunday, but it is a matter of convenience to those who pay good money for box rent. There does not seem to be much sense in paying from \$1 to \$4 for box rent unless some benefit accrues to the boxholder. The only possible benefit is to make the box accessible outside of office hours. Lacking that benefit, we might, just as well, all get our mail at the vicar.—Vegreville Observer.

PIPES SKIRL

NEATH SIAM'S STANDARD



With the red, white and blue fluttering above them in the summer sunshine, pipers from all parts of Canada proudly marched and counter-marched in the grounds of the Banff Springs Hotel, Banff, Alta., during the recent Highland Gathering, which was graced by the presence of T.M. King Prajadhikop and Queen Rumbal Barni of Siam and their suite and a large number of distinguished guests. His Majesty who opened the festival by raising the flag of St. Andrew, met an interesting character in the person of "Willie" Campbell, of New Westminster, B.C., who was a piper on the personal staff of

H. M. Queen Victoria, when King Chulalongkorn of Siam paid an official visit to her, at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, in 1894. Piper Campbell gave a special performance for King Prajadhikop, at the Banff meeting. A new feature of the Gathering was a competition for representatives of nine bands of the 17 Canadian Scottish militia regiments, which was won by Piper Hector MacDonald, of Montreal. Dancing and Highland sports rounded out an excellent program, with specially presented Scotch light operas in the evenings. The picture shows the massed pipers, parading under the Siamese flag and (inset) T. M. the King and Queen of Siam and Piper Campbell.



IN APPRECIATION OF A GREAT VICTORY



A thoughtful presentation took place Wednesday night at the banquet tendered in Montreal to the Canadiens Hockey Team, winners of the Stanley Cup for the second time in succession and which is emblematic of the Professional Hockey championship of the World.

In appreciation of retaining the trophy in Canada and for the splendid showing made by the individual players of the team, the Gillette Safety Razor Company of Canada, Limited, presented each member of the team with a beautiful Razor and complete shaving outfit. Each set was imprinted with the individual's name in gold leaf lettering.

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Photograph shows Mr. Lavene presenting gift to Howie Morenz, the great scintillating star, while Cecil Hart, manager of the successful team, looks on.

LAND VALUE RE-ADJUSTMENT

(The Bassano Mail)

The business world today is in a topsy-turvy condition. Nations are readjusting their war debts, interest rates are being slashed, old debts are being called in half. Business everywhere is undergoing a thorough house cleaning and a re-arrangement of loans, principal and interest charges to meet the conditions of the times.

This policy of revaluation and readjustment should, we believe, be applied to the farmers. Consider the position of the farmer on the Eastern Irrigation Project. He owes from \$1,000 to \$7,000 on his 160 acre farm; interest on this sum at 6 per cent amounts to from \$300 to \$425 a year; water rental is \$200 a year, making a total of \$500 to \$675 a year he has to pay after meeting all living expenses and operating expenses in connection with the growing of crops.

Can he do it? The answer is no. The value of farm produce is low, and has been low for the past two crop years, and as a consequence the farmer's earning power is reduced to a point below his annual expenses based on the terms of the land contract he signed years ago.

Payments on principal have to be entirely disregarded, for he cannot even pay interest charges and water rental.

We hear of the rare case of an irrigation farmer who is paying his way, but the great majority of them are not and can not.

He may have been able to in past

years when wheat prices were high, but he cannot do it today. And it is today we are concerned with—the immediate needs of the present.

Suppose the present terms of the land contract are allowed to stand, and the unpaid amounts each year are added to the principal sum. This has already occurred in many cases. It only increases the farmer's financial obligation, giving him a heavier burden to bear each year, making it more and more difficult for him to carry on. Finally the situation reaches a point where the earning power of the farm is less than the annual obligation against it.

That point has been reached today, and something ought to be done about it. If the unpaid charges are carried over for another year the situation will be still more acute, and it will be doubly difficult for the farmer to pay unless there is a tremendous and unexpected increase in the price of farm produce.

What is needed is a lower valuation of land and a lower rate of interest, and the reductions must be of a substantial amount to be of benefit to the farmers.

Whether you want a shot gun, a baby carriage, a washing machine, a radio, binder twine, paint, a car, and harvest supplies of all kinds, you will find them advertised by local merchants in your local paper. Patronize local business men as far as possible, and you will see better values and better business conditions and opportunities all around.

WANT ADS

WANTED—Girl to assist with house work during busy season.—Apply Times Office, Irma, Alta.

WANTED—A piano to rent. Inquire at Post Office.

WANTED—Some good clean jam tins free from labels or printed matter.—H. W. Love, Irma.

STRAYED—From Section 23-45-0 with, an Aberdeen-Angus Bull, branded TS on left neck. Weight about 1,000 lbs., age about 1 1/2 years. Anyone seeing same kindly notify Thos. W. Shaw, Irma, Alta.

FOR RENT—Two room house, opposite Farmers Mutual Lumber Co., in good condition. Rent \$7.00 per month in advance.—H. W. Love, Irma.

AIR TRAVEL TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT CANADIAN NATIONAL OFFICES

Whether one travels by air or rail, transportation can now be purchased at Canadian National ticket offices. Arrangements to this effect were completed last week, when tickets of the Canadian Airways Limited were put on sale in the following ticket offices in the west: Winnipeg, Sioux Lookout, Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Calgary, Edmonton, Jasper station and Jasper Park Lodge, Prince Rupert, Vancouver and Victoria.

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VIKING

Mrs. A. J. Moore, one of the oldest settlers of this district, died suddenly on Wednesday night, September 9th. Mrs. Moore had not been well for years, and last month spent some days in the hospital, but it was felt that perhaps she was improving a little, when, in the middle of the night, she took a paralytic stroke and died.

Mrs. Moore was born at Bishop's Mills, County Granville, Ontario, more than 75 years ago. She was married in that province some fifty years ago, and, along with her husband and family, came to Starbuck, Alberta in 1902. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were pioneer farmers east of Viking more than 28 years, and lived in this district since then. Mr. Moore died here about ten years ago.

Mrs. Moore was well known as a hard worker, a sterling character and a worthy neighbor. She was a member of the Methodist Church for forty years, and had a real experience of Christianity. She was well read, and although she was an invalid for years, she was always bright, cheerful and had a practical interest in the welfare of the community.

The funeral service was conducted in the United Church by the minister, Rev. J. W. Bainbridge on Friday afternoon. The beautiful array of flowers was a tribute to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Mr. Bainbridge delivered a suitably sympathetic message of hope and assurance. "O Safe to the Rock," and "The Sands of Time are Sinking," were the hymns sung. Interment took place in the Viking Cemetery.

A meeting of the Viking and district Chamber of Commerce was held in the town hall on Thursday evening, September 10th. The president, Mr. Darrah, who has returned from the coast, resumed his duties as chairman.

Letters were read from the minister of public works, Edmonton, in regard to the letter sent by the secretary in regard to the highway running north and south. The secretary was instructed to write the towns of Castor, Killam, and Hanna for co-operation in this matter.

Mr. Corbett, director of the extension department of the university, addressed the Chamber. He was president of the University, would be in Viking on one of three convenient dates, selected by the Chamber. November 2nd, November 9th and November 16th were selected.

A general talk on improvements within the village was given by the secretary. He pointed out that the census of opinion was that the citizens had shown considerable activity in planting trees and flowers, and improving the appearance of their yards and premises.

Mr. Clinton outlined a proposition to write the superintendent of the Canadian National railways in regard to repairs and improvements at the local stock yards.

Mr. Gilpin informed the meeting that the inspector of the Alfalfa club plots had been in the district and a report would be given, at some later date. Nine members of the club had alfalfa plots.

It was pointed out that this district had an abundance of produce for sale such as potatoes, beets, carrots, cabbage, turnips, also green feed. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the department of agriculture pointing out to them that local farmers were seeking a market for produce, and for the department to consider this district when purchasing produce for relief for other parts of the province. Cites and towns in southern Saskatchewan are also to be made known that the Viking district has a supply of vegetables and green feed.

The next meeting will be held some time in October and it is probable that the noon day luncheons at the hotel will be resumed.

A meeting will be held in the Library on Saturday night at 9 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a business club. All married women and business girls in town and community, who are interested, are requested to be present, so as to get started playing, as soon as possible.

Tuesday, September 15th, was a rainy, muddy day, but this did not dampen the ardor of some of our neighbors who hied themselves to their favorite slumps to bag the elusive duck. No heavy casualties among the ducks have been reported as we go to press.

Mrs. Stanley Barrow left on Saturday to visit at the home of her brother, J. Bishop, at Irma, for a few days before returning to her home at Detroit, Michigan.

A. A. Wadden, C. N. R. agent at Kinisla returned on Saturday from a holiday trip to Vancouver. He also visited a brother at Lethbridge, and while at that city another brother arrived from New York on a visit.

Const. Miller has returned from a holiday spent at Spokane, Washington, with Mrs. Miller and daughter Shirley who have spent the past two months in that city with Mrs. Miller's mother.

Mr. Oscar Chiswell of Saskatoon was in town over the week end visiting his brother, Mr. S. S. Chiswell. Mr. Oscar Chiswell is an old timer of the Bruce district and while here he visited several of his old friends in that district.

At a special session of the Village Council on Tuesday, the mill rate was set as follows: municipal 43 m's hospital 5 mills; supplementary revenue 2 mills. Tax notices will be posted by the end of this month. A discount of 8 per cent will be allowed on taxes to those who pay within thirty days of receipt of notice.

The Mayor and Secretary were empowered to enter into an agreement, with the Canadian National railway for a lease of land for a scale in the stock yards, and to pay the amount of \$11.00 for engineer's fee and rental for one year.

In compliment to Miss Margaret Craig who left last Tuesday to attend Normal School at Camrose, the members of the C.G.I.T. group met at the home of Mrs. C. G. Purvis on Friday, September 11th. Phyllis Collier and Vera Alexander had charge of the program and they certainly succeeded in keeping the fun going. The games were interspersed by the singing of C.G.I.T. songs, and fortunes told by Mrs. W. H. Collier. Dainty refreshments were served by the refreshment committee. The president, Mary Hilliker, then spoke in glowing terms of the work of Margaret Craig in connection with the group and of the regret felt by all at losing such a valuable member. Many good wishes were expressed accompanied by a small gift from the group, presented by Mary Duncan. Margaret suitably replied, assuring the girls that she would not forget the pleasant associations formed and the many happy times she had spent with the C. G. I.T. girls. The evening closed by the girls joining hands and singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow" followed by "Auld Lang Syne." (Omitted from last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Nease and son of Kinisla were guests at the W. J. Brown home here on Saturday. Harry Slaschuk came up from Kinisla Saturday evening to have some dental work done.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Rasmussen at the local hospital on Monday, September 14th. P. J. Wanganen, former business man of Kinisla, but now farming near that town, was a visitor in town on Monday.

Farmers are allowed to shoot only on their own land with no license. Any farmer wishing to shoot on land other than his own must obtain a regular game license.

There appears to be a misunderstanding amongst some farmers who think they are allowed to shoot on any land without a license because they are farmers. We take this means of notifying farmers that if they shoot on land other than their own without a proper license, they are liable to a fine of at least fifteen dollars and costs. So look out, boys.

J. Bishop, of Starbuck, and B. Bishop of Clyde, were down to attend the funeral of their sister on Friday, the late Mrs. Moore.

Household Helps.

The suggestion of cod liver oil and sunlight as preventatives against enlarged tonsils and adenoids is really the first bit of scientific knowledge we have acquired in regard to the prevention of this very common condition in children. I hope readers who have the care of young children will bear it in mind. Whenever you see or hear of a child with enlarged tonsils, don't think "Oh-oh." Think "V-V" the poor kid has probably not had a fair share of Vitamin A and ultra-violet.

For that matter, every baby should be given a cod liver oil ration, beginning with maybe five drops a day at the age of six weeks, and gradually increasing the daily dose till at six months the baby takes half or a whole spoonful daily. This not only prevents rickets (Vitamin D) but also adenoids, enlarged tonsils and cribs. Now that I have wished cod liver oil on the children, who have certainly done me no harm, let me suggest, first, that if the parent or guardians permit no pantomime or word to impress upon the child the disagreeable taste of cod liver oil, the child will take it smilingly. Almost always a repugnance for this in children is taught by those who have the care of the child.

Finally, if there is a repugnance already developed, then there are available several excellent brands of cod liver oil with syrup-malt, which are not at all unpleasant to taste.

Bruce News.

BABLITZ — SHULTZ

The Bruce United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, September 9th, when Miss Emma Shultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Shultz of Leduc, became the bride of Mr. Edward Bablitz of Bruce. The impressive Lutheran ceremony was performed in the German tongue by Rev. E. C. Zacheche of Camrose, in the presence of a host of relatives and friends, in the church nicely decorated with autumn flowers.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding March played by Mrs. G. A. Barker. Mrs. Barker was assisted at the organ by Mrs. E. C. Zacheche. The bride was charmingly gowned in cream georgette with accessories to match. Her long bridal veil of silk net and lace was held by a wreath of orange blossoms and a peony. She carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and white roses with ribbon streamers.

The bridesmaids were Miss Freda Bablitz and Miss Edna Sagert. Miss Bablitz wore a becoming gown of pale green georgette, with a corslet of white roses; while Miss Sagert was pretty in green tulle and georgette with a contrasting bouquet. The groom was supported by Messrs. Fred Koetke of Holden and Reinhold Otto.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party and numerous guests were entertained at the home of the groom's brother, Mr. Halbert Bablitz. Over a hundred guests enjoyed a bounteous supper. Those assisting the hostess, Mrs. H. Bablitz, were the groom's mother, Mrs. Winters; Mrs. Newman of Gahad; Mrs. Gus Ratke, Mrs. Willans, and the Misses Sarah Renn and Olga Lutz. The table of the bridal party was centred by a beautiful four tier wedding cake decorated in silver and mauve.

The happy young couple were the recipients of a large number of pretty and useful presents. Toward midnight a chari-vari party from Bruce invaded the premises and added to the conviviality of their presence. All were entertained at a midnight lunch and a division of the wedding cake, followed by music and dancing.

Rain last Sunday did not prevent a good attendance at the Flower Service conducted by Rev. H. Bosomworth in the United Church. A profusion of cut flowers in all their autumn splendor welcomed the congregation. Six young maidens carrying bouquets sang in chorus and added their offerings to the beautiful blooms that decked the platform and pulpit.

The pastor in a sermon appropriate to the occasion spoke of the use made of flowers, drawing analogies from Scripture. Among a number of quotations cited in the course of his address one from Tennyson was particularly apt:

"Flower in a crannied wall,
I pluck you out of the crannies,
I hold you here, root and all, in my hand,
Little flower — but IF I could un-
derstand
What you are, root and all, and all in all,
I should know what God and man is."

Members from the Holden United Church choir were present, contributed an anthem and led in the singing. Mrs. H. Bosomworth presided at the organ.

Rev. E. C. and Mrs. Zacheche were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Graunke last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shultz and family of Leduc and Mr. and Mrs. Renn and Miss Sarah Renn of Holden were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lutz last week.

It is with regret that we report that Mrs. R. McLeod is again in hospital, this time with appendicitis.

Mr. Oscar Chiswell, an old timer of the Bruce district, now residing in Saskatoon, was a visitor here for a few days last week.

Mrs. Ivar Nohr is a patient in Viking Hospital.

Road allowances in some localities are infested with Sow and Canada Thistle.

The Noxious Weeds Act calls upon farmers to destroy them, this however is not being adhered to and unless this is immediately complied with, we have no alternative but to prosecute.

F. J. Detmold, Weed Inspector

BROWNLEE TO ACT ON MANITOBA POOL

Winnipeg, Sept. 12th.—Premier J. E. Brownlee of Alberta, has been appointed to the board of the Manitoba wheat pool, it was announced Friday night by Premier John Bracken of Manitoba. The Alberta government head is also acting on the boards of the Alberta and Saskatchewan pools.

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Rescuer: "Can't you swarm up 'Arry?"
'Arry: "Wot ver take me for? An 'lve of bees?"—The London Opinion.

One machine now being used on Canadian farms can cut and thrash grain on 40 acres in a day with only two men operating it.

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Referring to Saskatchewan's outstanding record as shown in comparative vital statistics, Hon. Dr. Munro said:

"Saskatchewan is situated very favourably in comparison with other provinces of Canada and states of the American Union. Saskatchewan's death rate from cancer in 1928 was 55.2 per 100,000 population, whereas the older provinces and states recorded a rate in excess of 100. But those figures do not tell the whole story in this province. In 1905 the death

If these Communists are on their own way to no farmer would be on his own farm, and every farmer with his wife, his sons and his daughters would become the servants of the directors of the people, and virtually slaves. Civilization would be turned back two thousand years and the liberty for which our fathers fought would be lost. These fanatics do not preach robbery of the rich man alone, but poor man also. But none of these would suffer more than the farmer. To be taken down from his high place as a farmer and become a cowering peasant would be humiliation indeed.

Recently the British speed king opened negotiations with the Costa Rica Government, which owns Cocos Island, for a concession to again hunt treasure there. The Vancouver company, however, had already obtained the concession, the result being that Sir Malcolm has taken an interest and a directorship in the company.

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was born at Bainsford, Scotland, in 1866, and came to Canada in 1871. Educated in the public and high schools of Ontario, he graduated from McGill University, in 1889, and for some time was house surgeon at the Montreal general hospital. In 1890 he commenced practice in Regina and from 1894 to 1901, was medical health officer for the city. Dr. Ross was one of the exhibitors at the Regina Victoria Hospital and organized the Regina Medical Association. In 1913, he was elected president of the Saskatchewan Medical Association and was afterwards a member of the committee of the Canadian Medical Association which drafted the constitution upon which the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada

was born at Brantford, Ont., in 1889, and, receiving his early education at the public and high schools of his native city, later entered the University of Toronto from which he was graduated in 1908. Dr. Davison was appointed medical inspector in the Saskatchewan Department of Public Health in 1921, and in the Division of Communicable Diseases was organized, in 1923, became its first director. When Hon. Dr. Munroe decided to constitute a programme to deal with the cancer problem, Dr. Davison was placed in charge of the work. He has been active in medical circles since coming to Regina and, in 1920, was president of the Regina and District

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THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

BY MARGARET PEDLER

Author of "The Splendid Folly," "The Hermit of Far End," Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd., London.

It's a strange road leads to the House of Dreams, To the House of Dreams-Come-True, Its hills are steep and its valleys deep, And salt with tears the Wayfarers weep, The Wayfarers—I and you.

But there's sure a way to the House of Dreams, To the House of Dreams-Come-True. We shall find it yet, ere the sun has set, If we fare straight on, come fine, come wet, Wayfarers—I and you.

—Margaret Pedler.

CHAPTER I.

The Wander-Fever

The great spaces of the hall seemed to slope away into impenetrable gloom; velvet darkness deepening imperceptibly into sable density of panned-lead; huge, smoke-blackened beams, stretching wide arms across the roof, showing the luminescent circle of its warmth, a man and woman were seated at a table lit by tall wax candles; in branched candlesticks. With its twinkling points of light, and the fire's red glow quivering across its shining surface, the table gleamed out like a jewel in a sombre setting—a vivid splash of light in the dim, latitudinal dusk-enfolded hall.

At the furthermost end, like a giant golden eye winking sleepily through the dark, smouldered a fire of logs, and near this, in the luminous circle of its warmth, a man and woman were seated at a table lit by tall wax candles; in branched candlesticks. With its twinkling points of light, and the fire's red glow quivering across its shining surface, the table gleamed out like a jewel in a sombre setting—a vivid splash of light in the dim, latitudinal dusk-enfolded hall.

Dinner was evidently just over, for the candlelight shone softly on satin-skinned fruit, while wonderful gold-veined glass flecked the dark pool of polished mahogany with delicate lines and ripples of opalescent colour. A silence had fallen on the two who had been dining. They had been gay enough together throughout the course of the meal, but now that the servants had brought coffee and withdrawn, it seemed as though the stillness—that queer, ghostly, memory-haunted stillness which lurks in the dim, disused recesses of a place—had crept out from the four corners of the hall and were stealing upon them, little by little, as the tide encroaches on the shore, till it had lapped them around in a curious atmosphere of oppression.

The woman acknowledged it by a twist of her slim shoulders. She was quite young—not more than twenty—and as she glanced half-enquiringly at the man seated opposite her there was sufficiency of likeness between the two to warrant the assumption that they were father and daughter.

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From the great castle of Beirnefels, the House-of-Dreams-Come-True, into world of bitterness and strife and love, went Jean Peterson. Thrilled by a magic day at Montavan, spent with a man of mystery, she was brought face to face with the realization that she loved him—hopelessly.

Tragedy, misery, vengeance dogged at the heels of this beautiful love-child the moment she set foot on the shores of England. Disillusioned, broken-hearted, she returned to her castle of shattered Dreams only in time to see it, too, come tumbling down before her eyes, swept by the ravages of the bitter life there rose a greater, a more enduring castle—the castle of love—the House-of-Dreams-Come-True.

every shade of his constant changes of mood.

"There's no sense of adventure about England," he said shortly. "It's a dull corner of the world—bristling with proprieties."

Jean realised how very completely, from his own point of view, he had answered her. Romance, beauty, the sheer delight of utter freedom from the conventions were as the breath of his nostrils to Glyn Peterson.

Born to the purple, as it were, of an old English county family, he had studied in the conventional atmosphere of his upbringing. There had been moments of wild rebellion, bitter outbursts against the established order of things, but these had been sedulously checked and discouraged by his father, a man of iron will, who took himself and his position intensely seriously.

Ultimately, Glyn had come to accept of his more or less philosophy the fact of his heirship to old estates and old traditions, with their inevitable responsibilities and claims, and he was just preparing to fulfil his parents' wishes by marrying, suitably and conventionally, when Jacqueline Mayors, the beautiful half-French opera singer, had flashed into his horizon.

In a moment the world was transformed. Artist soul called to artist soul; the romantic vein in the man, so long checked and thwarted, suddenly asserted itself. Irritability, and the very day before that appointed for his wedding, he and Jacqueline ran away together in search of happiness. And they had found it. The "County" had been shocked; Glyn's father, unbending descendant of the old Scottish Covenanters, his whole creed outraged, had broken under the blow; but the runaway lovers had found what they sought.

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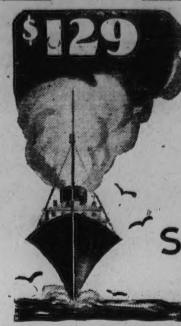
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26,094 Registered Unemployed Persons in Urban Centres

The number of registered unemployed persons in the urban centres of Saskatchewan, not including dependents, totals 26,094, according to figures released by Hon. J. A. Merkle, Minister of Railways, Labour and Industries.

These figures include 8,237 married men, 4,551 single men, and 932 single women in the cities, and a total of 12,074 unemployed persons in the towns and villages where no government registration offices are in operation. Regina has a total of 1,290 unemployed.

These figures were obtained at the conclusion of registration efforts that were undertaken by the provincial government officials, in keeping with a request made by the Federal Government for statistics dealing with unemployment. The figures were wired to Ottawa by Mr. Merkle.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using "Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

Professor Loses His Bugs

Entomologist of Illinois University Robbed Of Valuable Collection Professor John S. Doleys has lost his bugs.

For six weeks, the professor, who is an entomologist at the University of Illinois at Urbana, had been touring several states by automobile with his wife, looking for ants, bees, dragon flies, earwigs, spiders and other insects. About 4,000 of them were collected and placed in a suit case.

Then the professor and his wife drove into Chicago, parked their car on the street, and went away for a few hours. When they returned the professor's bugs were gone. Someone had stolen them.

Policeman—"You'll have to move this car."

Bystander—"I don't think so." "You don't, hey! Why not?" "Because it isn't my car."

The Editorial Page

Has Changed For The Better In Last Few Years

There have been many discussions as to what is the most popular section of a daily newspaper, but strangely enough the editorial page is frequently mentioned in the list. Once the only people who read editorials were of a stern cast, who were determined to do their duty to their country no matter what the cost. Although there were brilliant editorial writers fifty years ago, the general style and subject matter was not the type to attract the weary business man wishing mental relaxation. In fact, preparatory to perusing this section of the family journal, it was customary to don heavy silver-rimmed spectacles, and sitting very straight in a high-backed chair assume a lofty and solemn attitude. Today, like most other things, the editorial page has vastly changed. No longer are its readers confined to the distinctly serious-minded. It has come to have a much wider scope. No longer does the average editor strive for a lofty ponderous style that was the mark of excellence in the days of the leg-o-mutton sleeve. He realizes that there is a vast difference in the people whom he wishes to interest and adjusts his material accordingly.

Alberta Homesteads

Homestead entries in Alberta for the month of July numbered 1,114, more than half of which were taken out through the Edmonton land office. Of the total for the month, 331 entries were made by women, this being the first occasion in which the new law enabling women to homestead has been in operation.

A physiologist states that being a trifle overweight is rather a health advantage to people under 35 years of age, but beyond that age being overweight is a liability.

Crude weighing machines based on the balance were used in Egypt about 5,000 years before the Christian Era.

Little Helps For This Week

"Changed into the same image from glory to glory."—2 Corinthians iii. 13.

As one lamp lights another, nor grows less. So nobleness enkindeth nobleness."—James Russell Lowell.

In a very simple and literal way he believed that God was His Father, not in name only, but in very truth. He knew that he, in common with every human being, had it in his power to live as a son or as an alien; and he knew—by that most sure proof, the experience of daily life—that he could only overcome the cravings of selfishness by a constant effort to come into closer union with the life-giving spirit to whom he was truly akin, that so he might not starve, but grow and develop.—Knight-Ernan.

Counting the big game in state forests and parks once took a force of men several weeks, now it can be done in a few hours by two men in a plane.

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E. L. Gray

BORN in Ontario, educated in the schools of Saskatchewan and at the Ontario Agricultural College, now field crops commissioner in the Alberta Department of Agriculture, E. L. Gray gives to his work as chairman of the Alberta Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference a wealth of agricultural experience.

Mr. Gray's home is in Grey County, Ontario, where he was born in 1895. In 1902 he moved to Saskatchewan with his parents and received his early education in the public and high schools of that province.

In 1923 he graduated from the Ontario Agriculture College, after which he taught school in Saskatchewan for three years. He served overseas during the war with the C.E.F. and for a time acted as a county agricultural agent in Ontario. His agricultural experience was greatly increased during the period he occupied the position of farm manager and instructor in animal husbandry at the School of Agriculture, Clarendon, Alberta, and for nearly three years as district agriculturalist at Hanna, Alberta.



(By Gee)

F. Hedley Auld

MR. F. HEDLEY AULD, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan, is chairman of the Exhibition Committee of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference and, like many other prominent westerners, was born in Prince Edward Island. He came to the West some twenty-eight years ago and in 1906 joined the Dominion Department of Agriculture, becoming associated with W. A. Wilson in the dairy branch.

A year later Mr. Auld organized the statistical bureau of the Provincial Department of Agriculture and afterwards went to Saskatoon to take charge of the agricultural extension work of the University.

For a short time he was a member of the Mooney Seed Company and in 1914 returned to the Provincial Department of Agriculture, organizing the debt adjustment bureau. In 1916, when the late Frank Mantle, then Deputy Minister of Agriculture, went overseas, Mr. Auld became acting deputy and deputy upon the death of Mr. Mantle.

For the past two years, Mr. Auld has been president of the Regina Provincial Exhibition Association. In 1928 Mr. Auld was secretary of the Royal Grain Inquiry Commission. He is a director of the Regina Y.M.C.A. and has membership in the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists, the Saskatchewan Live Stock Board, and the Saskatchewan Stallion Board.



Main Street

Mrs. Shirley Barrow of Detroit has been visiting her brother, Mr. Bishop. Mrs. H. Jones has her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pollock of Vancouver visiting with her.

One of Mr. Pete Larson's girls had the misfortune to break her leg while playing on the swings at school and is in the Mannville hospital.

Little Andry Clelland who was operated on for appendicitis at the Mannville hospital is doing nicely, we are glad to report.

Mrs. Cecil Dafoe of Hemaruka, Alberta and two children, Kenneth and Irene are visiting Mrs. Dafoe's sister, Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

At the special meeting of the ratepayers of the Irma Rural High School held Wednesday afternoon, the ratepayers decided that under the present conditions it would not be advisable to undertake to teach grade XII for this season.

Mr. J. G. Rae, had the pleasure of having the first wheat threshed and delivered to an Irma elevator, for this season. The wheat which was garnet graded No. 1 and was threshed on September 5th. Mr. Herbert shipped the first car load, a few days later.

For the past week cutting and threshing has been held up on account of almost steady rain. Wednesday night the Irma district had the first frost of the season. Cutting is practically finished and threshing had started, but will be delayed for at least another week.

WILL TRADE—Honey for wood. —H. W. Love, Irma.

LADIES AID.

The September meeting of the Irma Ladies Aid was held at the Manor on September 9th. The president, Mrs. Tripp conducted the meeting, and there were eleven members present. Minutes of July and August were read and passed.

Treasurer reported a balance of \$27.13 on hand after all outstanding bills were paid.

It was moved by Mrs. Tripp and Mrs. Carter that a hearty vote of thanks be extended to all those who helped make the tea and supper a success, especially all the friends who helped so willingly.

The date of the Bazaar being November 7th the committees for same were appointed as follows:

FUN FOR CHILDREN:—Mrs. Geeson, Mrs. Tripp and Mrs. E. Simmons.

APRONS:—Mrs. Locke and Mrs. Hill.

FANCY WORK:—Mrs. Elford, Miss Sellers and Mrs. Reeds.

NOVELTIES:—Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Enger.

HOME COOKING:—Mrs. Fenton, and Mrs. Frickleton.

AFTERNOON TEA:—Mrs. Smallwood, Mrs. Schonert and Mrs. Osterhout.

HOME MADE CANDY:—Mrs. Eldon Fenton and Mrs. Johnson.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mr. Geeson to meet with Mrs. Tripp in October.

JARROW

Mr. Lindquist who has been quite ill in the Viking hospital for the past month returned to his home this week.

Several of the threshing outfits planned to start work on Monday but were held up on account of the heavy rains.

Mrs. Pete Lindquist and baby daughter Corinne of Viking are visiting at the home of Mrs. McCracken.

Mr. Joe Petzman has sold his pool room to Mr. Walter Morgan of town.

Mr. Norman Luxton spent a few days this week in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marby of Tompkins, Sask., arrived in town on Wednesday where they will spend some time with Mrs. Marby.

Mr. O. Marory of Melville, Sask., is visiting his family here this week. Wendell Orr who was operated on in the Viking hospital three weeks ago is home now and improving rapidly.

Mr. W. Geeson of the wheat pool elevator spent several days in Edmonton last week.

The office and pupils of the Sunday school are acting on the Rally Day program which will be presented in the church on Sunday morning September 27th at eleven o'clock. We hope to see the church filled to capacity for this occasion.

The Ladies Aid are holding a tea in the vacant room of the Red and White Store building on September 26th, from 3 in the afternoon on till the evening. Everyone is invited to come and eat with them. The proceeds will be used for church and manse purposes.

Mr. R. Northey of Chipman spent the week end visiting friends in this district.

The Wastebasket

"Giving your wife too much money is liable to go to her head," said the president of the married men's club while discussing ways and means here last week. "Yes, I found that out when my wife bought a new fall hat," replied one of the members.

After a lady in a neighboring town had tried on eight pairs of shoes in a store last week, the clerk finally asked her which pair she had decided on. "Not any of them," she replied, "but I wanted to send for some, and I wanted to be sure and order the right size."

"Do you find it hard to make a success of farming?" asked an investigator of a farmer near Vegreville. "No," he replied, "This talk of hard times for the farmer is all bunk. By using my barn as a dance hall, running my filling station on the highway while my wife conducts a soft drink stand where the right sort of people can get the right kind of a drink for a consideration, we have no trouble in making both ends meet. This farm relief talk is all bosh."

A young fellow at the circus at Camrose a week ago was smoking a cigarette, and pulling another out of his pocket he asked the attendant at the monkey cage, "Would it do harm to offer the monkeys one of these?" "Not a bit," the attendant replied, "They wouldn't touch it. A monkey isn't as big a fool as some of his descendants."

A local man and his wife who argue quite a bit were out motoring thru the country the other day and passed a fellow who was cutting hay with a team hitched to a mower. "Wouldn't it be wonderful if we could pull together as harmoniously as that team on the mower does," his wife remarked. "Perhaps we could," he replied, "If there was only one tongue between us."

A local business man while driving out in the country here found that the timer on his car was not working efficiently for lack of lubrication, so he stopped at a farm house. An old lady came to the door. "Have you any lubricating oil?" he asked. The old lady looked doubtful. He then said: "Even castor oil will do." "Well," the old lady replied, "I haven't any castor oil, but I could fix you up a dose of salts."

LAMBS COMMAND HIGH PRICE AT WOOL GROWERS SALE

As a further evidence that Western Canada is admirably suited to the production of high class livestock, one need but refer to the sale of three pure bred Suffolk rams which were bred on the C.P.R. Farm at Tilley, Alberta, and sold on August 25th, 1931, at public auction at the National Wool Growers Sale, Salt Lake City, Utah. This is the largest ram sale on the continent.

One two-year-old, a yearling and a ram lamb, all pure bred Suffolks, and as already mentioned bred on the Company Farm, were placed on the express car at Tilley, consigned to the National Sale. They travelled over three lines of railway and were looked after by the Express Company on each line of railway. They passed through the American Customs and arrived at the Sale in good condition. They sold at the following prices:

The two-year-old brought \$100.00
The yearling brought \$250.00
The lamb brought \$135.00

Considering the fact that the market for range sheep is very low in the United States these prices are considered to be very high. The yearling ram was second highest priced Suffolk ram in the Sale and his selling price was only exceeded by a ram imported from England.

The C. P. R. Farm at Tilley consigned two rams to the same Sale last year when their ram lamb sold for \$80.00, the highest priced Suffolk ram lamb in the Sale.

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Business stability will be built not only on the foundations of the individual efficiency of the industrial unit, large and small, but upon their united effort in analyzing their common problems and their cooperation in a sound program.—President Hoover.

If the President would talk at his press conferences as I do at mine he would not have any trouble.—Secretary of War Hurley.

These gang pictures—that's terrible kid stuff.—Al Capone.

I'll probably live 10 years longer.—Thomas A. Edison.

We cannot call ourselves wise or patriotic if we seek to escape the responsibility of remodeling government to make it more serviceable to all the people and more responsive to needs.—Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Home owners are more satisfied with life in general than renters.—George D. Gaw, official Chicago greeter.

This depression can be cured and future depressions avoided if we plan our economic life.—Prof. Richard T. Ely, Northwestern U.

We are obviously coming out of the depression now.—Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce.

There is not room for fame and happiness in the same home.—Mrs. Lawrence Tibbett, after their parting of the ways.

We are in a different era and we have got to face it and recognise there is only one thing in the world that makes prosperity, and that is work.—Henry Ford.

Our era of isolation is over.—Gov. Ritchie of Maryland.

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